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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLN. NUMBER: (if known): Not Yet Assigned 107542782
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NUMBER: PCT/CH04/00055	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: 2 February 2004 (02.02.2004)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: 3 February 2003 (03.02.2003) CH
TITLE OF INVENTION: HYDRAULIC SYSTEM FOR A SLIDE		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Otto HOFSTETTER, Luis FERNANDEZ		

Applicant hereby submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)):
 - ☒ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - ☐ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- ☒ A English translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
- ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
- ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- ☒ A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

ITEMS 11 to 20 BELOW CONCERN OTHER DOCUMENT(S) OR INFORMATION INCLUDED:

- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
- ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment
- ☐ A substitute specification.
- ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter2 and 35 USC 1821 - 1825
- ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4)
- ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4)
- ☒ Other items or information:
TRANSMITTAL LETTER; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION NO.: WO 2004/068927 A2; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION DATE: 19 AUGUST 2004 (19.08.2004); ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION NO.: WO 2004/068927 A2, WHICH CONSISTS OF 7 PAGES: 1 PAGE FOR THE COVER SHEET, 4 PAGES OF TEXTUAL SPECIFICATION, 1 PAGE OF 5 CLAIMS, 0 PAGE OF THE ABSTRACT, 1 SHEET OF DRAWINGS; **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT WITH ATTACHMENT A TO BE EXAMINED**; INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION REPORT (IN GERMAN) WITH 1 AMENDED SHEET (IN ENGLISH) (PCT/IPEA/409); EXECUTED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY; EXECUTED ASSIGNMENT WITH RECORDATION COVER SHEET; PCT DEMAND (IN GERMAN) (PCT/IPEA/401); NOTIFICATION CONCERNING SUBMISSION OR TRANSMITTAL OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT (PCT/IB/304); WRITTEN OPINION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY (IN GERMAN) (PCT/ISA/237); PCT REQUEST (IN GERMAN) (PCT/RO/101); POSTCARD FOR EARLY NOTIFICATION OF THE SERIAL NUMBER REQUEST.

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21. Basic National Fee \$ 300.00				\$ 300.00	
22. Examination Fee If International Preliminary Examination Report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy Provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$ 100.00 All other situations \$ 200.00				\$ 200.00	
23. Search Fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2) has been paid on the International Application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority ... \$ 100.00 International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office \$ 400.00 All other situations \$ 500.00				\$ 400.00	
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$ 40.00	
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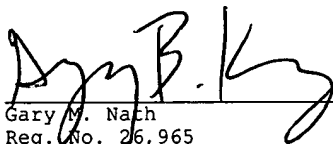
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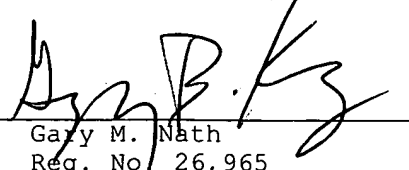
Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter to U.S. Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning Filing under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- (2) International Publication No.: WO 2004/068927 A2; International Publication Date: 19 August 2004 (19.08.2004);
- (3) English Translation of the International Publication No.: WO 2004/068927 A2, which consists of 7 pages:
 - 1 page for the Cover Sheet,
 - 4 pages of Textual Specification,
 - 1 page of 5 Claims,
 - 0 page of the Abstract,
 - 1 sheet of Drawings;
- (4) Preliminary Amendment with Attachment A to be Examined;
- (5) International Preliminary Examination Report (in German) with 1 amended sheet (in English) (PCT/IPEA/409);
- (6) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (7) Executed Assignment with Recordation Cover Sheet;
- (8) PCT Demand (in German) (PCT/IPEA/401);
- (9) Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document (PCT/IB/304);
- (10) Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority (in German) (PCT/ISA/237);
- (11) PCT Request (in German) (PCT/RO/101);
- (12) Check No.: 23338 in the Amount of \$ 900.00 for Basic Filing Fee (\$300.00), Examination Fee (\$200.00), Search Fee (\$400.00), as a Large Entity;
- (13) Check No.: 23339 in the Amount of \$ 40.00 for Recordation of the Assignment Fee;
- (14) Postcard for Early Notification of the Serial Number Request.

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